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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Captain Branson and wife closed the revival meetings at this place Sunday evening. Twenty-five conversions were made during their two weeks visit in Condon, which makes the total number made in Arlington, Condon and Olex, one hundred and thirty-two. The captain and his wife left Monday morning for Salem where they will hold services.

Will Gross left Tuesday morning for Rock Creek where he will herd sheep.

Judge Bradshaw and District Attorney Menefee will have charge of the April term of the Circuit Court. The new judge and district attorney will not have charge until the September term. Hereafter court will be held on the third Monday in January, first Monday in April and third Monday in September.

The people of Wheeler county are talking of invoking the referendum on the Bowerman judicial gerrymander. The plan has been discussed among the ranchers and business men of Gilliam, but as it would occasion no little expense and trouble the probabilities are that the question will not become an issue until the Senator and his henchmen become candidates for re-election.

The subject for debate at the High School next Friday will be: "Resolved; that the U. S. Government should have chosen the Nicaragua route for the inter-oceanic canal."

An interesting debate was held between the students of the public school last Friday. The question was: "Resolved; That Intemperance is more destructive than War." Harold Riggs was leader on the affirmative side of the question and Alice Farnsworth on the negative. The judges decided in favor of the negative.

A men's meeting will be held at the Baptist church next Sunday at 3:30 p. m. A women's meeting will be held at the Congregational church at the same time.

E. Rexilious was in from his Ferry Canyon ranch Wednesday and subscribed for the GLOBE.

Frank Pitter returned this week from his trip to California.

A baby girl was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cochran.

Wm. Fehrenbacher of Gwendolen had his name enrolled on the GLOBE subscription book this week.

Mrs. Wm. Snell of Arlington was visiting friends in Condon last week.

In speaking of the new judicial district in the last issue of the Mitchell Sentinel, Bro. Helms expresses his disapproval of the bill in the following words: "The worst feature of the whole thing is there will be three terms of court each year when it has often been the case since the creation of Wheeler county there was no cause for as much as two terms, the three terms will only make more expenses for the people and do no good. Two terms was all that the county required."

Arlington has a dog poisoner. Eight dogs have been killed, some of them very valuable sheep dogs. It is not known who put out the poison but suspicion has rested on one man who has been arrested and will have a hearing in Justice Collins' court on Saturday, says the Record.

Rose Townsend left Monday morning for Gardfield, Washington where she will make an extended visit with Mrs. Pierce.

The debate between the Lost Valley and Pine Grove Literary Societies in the Lost Valley school house last Friday evening on the question, "Resolved; That the Japanese students have just cause for complaint on account of being expelled from the public schools of San Francisco," resulted in a victory for the latter who represented the affirmative side of the question.

When the agricultural department, pure food commission or some other governmental department adopts a system whereby the correct age can be stamped on every egg that is offered for sale, people will begin to think of it in their prayers, says the American Farmer.

Ohas. E. Hicks and family returned last week to Portland where Mr. Hicks is employed in a printing office.

"DOWN IN DIXIE"

A four act drama entitled "Down in Dixie" was presented by the pupils of the Condon High School last Saturday evening. The Armory hall was crowded to its utmost capacity and more than ordinary talent was displayed by those who participated in the performance. As the title of the play indicates, the scene was laid in the South, the theme being a clever romance of Civil War times. Prof. Sturgill, in the role of Major Bradley, made an excellent villain, and Prof. McArthur as Corporal Hooligan has enough Irish blood in his veins to play his part well. The high school pupils who participated received much favorable comment upon their acting. Below we give the cast of characters:

Captain Wells..... Arthur Baker
Major Bradley..... J. C. Sturgill
Corporal Hooligan..... G. T. McArthur
George Washington Bangs..... Earl Palmer
Cumberland Dusenberry..... H. Schilling
Billings..... Gay Linville
Hearkiah Snifins..... Lee Scrivner
Uncle Moseley..... Walter Grider
Helen Trevoir..... Maude Dodson
Mrs. Dusenberry..... Pauline Cochran
Molly Martin..... Veva Portwood
Susannah..... Frances Brown

SEVENTEENTH BIRTHDAY

With this issue the GLOBE completes the sixteenth year of its publication. The paper was established in 1891 by S. P. Shutt when Condon was a hamlet containing about 100 souls. Since that time the paper has changed hands twice. Mr. Shutt retired from the business in 1898 and S. A. Pattison assumed the duties of publisher. Mr. Pattison sold out to the present owner a year ago last February. During the sixteen years of its existence the GLOBE has enjoyed a liberal patronage and has played no unimportant part in the development of Condon and Gilliam county.

WONDER WHO IT WAS

We clip the following from the Portland Oregonian:

There was a guest at the Hotel Portland recently who hailed from Condon and who had never been entertained at a first-class hostelry before. After he had been at the Hotel Portland a few days and got "onto the ropes" that are easiest to learn he considered it the most wonderful place in the world.

What impressed him particularly were the meals, he liked the rich food so well that he ate five meals a day. There was one dish, a glass, that gave him exceptional pleasure and he determined to learn the recipe so that when he returned home to Condon his wife could make it for him. On the bill of fare it reads, "Padding Glace a la Fruitiere." Before he left he called upon Manager Bowers. "That pudding glass ale fruit air is the best stuff I ever tasted in my life," he declared. "I hope you will excuse me, Mr. Bowers," he chattered on, "but would it be too much trouble for you to have Mrs. Bowers write down her recipe for it?"

CHRISTIAN HANSEN

A good crowd turned out to hear Christian Hansen, the celebrated violinist, at the court house Tuesday evening. Mr. Hansen's program consisted mostly of classical music. His imitation of a cat and dog fight, a country fiddler playing the Arkansas Traveler and a number of other similar selections were notable exceptions, however. Every selection was well received and those who were present seemed to enjoy the musical treat.

PUNISHMENT TO FIT THE CRIME

When Congressman Small was a young lawyer he was once arguing a case before a country magistrate. "Why," said Mr. Small, "the man at the bar, Jones, would just as soon kill me right here before your face as not."

The old magistrate slowly took out his spectacles, put them on, and peered over to get a good look at the desperate Jones. Then he pointed his finger at him and said, "You, Bill Jones, if you kill John H. Small here before me I'll fine you one dollar and fifty cents for contempt of court, darn my soul if I don't."—Woman's Home Companion.

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

GWENDOLEN

Lewis Flanders went down to The Dalles Tuesday to make final proof on his homestead.

Frank Coles transacted business in Condon Saturday.

A number of parties from the Ridge attended the meetings in Condon Sunday evening.

Geo. Osborn is recovering nicely from his recent sick spell.

FOSSIL NOTES

There is considerable talk of invoking the referendum on the law passed by the late legislature creating the eleventh judicial district.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Barker and little daughter spent a few days during the week visiting the family of Mrs. Barker's sister, Mrs. Geo. Knox, and other Fossil friends.

Wm. Rettle shipped 500 head of prime mutton sheep Thursday from Condon to the Union Meat Company at Troutdale. The price was 6 cents a pound for wethers and 5 cents for ewes, on foot at Troutdale.

Roy Daniel has sold his chop house and soft drink business to Geo. Caven and Maynard Jenkins, who will continue to run the business at the old stand in Harry Reed's building. Mr. Daniel expects to secure a good position at Condon.

Wm. Rettle sold a car load of beef cattle to Wm. Eldon for Lacey Bros. the other day. He received \$2.80 per hundred for cows and \$3.50 for calves, weighed at Mayville. At these prices dry cows brought over \$30 net and fall calves \$17.—Journal.

Rev. J. W. Mount has returned from a visit to White Salmon, Washington, where he spent a few days with the family of W. L. Wilson, formerly of Condon. He was delighted with the prospects at White Salmon.

Sam Thompson was influenced by Mr. Mount to visit White Salmon as he is on the lookout for a location. Mr. Thompson sold his ranch over here to his brother, Jim.

I. A. Johnson has sold his beautiful residence to Joe Chapman for about \$2900. Mr. Chapman is expected to move in soon and Mr. Johnson will rent for a while.

Mrs. F. Looney has sold her town property to the father of Alex Johnson and they are moving this week. Mrs. Looney to her old store room and Mr. Johnson into the Looney residence.

It is reported that the pastor of the Baptist church will soon leave this community as he has several good offers elsewhere.

APPOINT SHEEP INSPECTORS

The new sheep inspection law enacted by the recent session of the legislature will not go into effect until May 25 or 30 days after the final adjournment. The act provides for the appointment of three commissioners who shall elect a secretary who must be a graduate veterinary surgeon. Thus far only three men have been recommended to the governor for appointment on the commission. Dan P. Smythe of Pendleton; Thomas Boylan of Antelope and W. H. Steusloff of Salem. These men reside in different districts as prescribed by the act and it is understood that they have very strong recommendations. For secretary W. F. Jones of Jefferson is being recommended. As the law will not become effective for 90 days, no appointments are likely to be announced for some time.

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